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Prior Application:

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BOX PATENT APPLICATION FEE
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is a request for filing an

- ☐ Original
☐ Continuation
☐ Divisional
☒ Continuation-in-part

application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b), in the name of SEQUENCE DETERMINATION
OF NUCLEIC ACIDS USING ARRAYS WITH MICROSPHERES (Names of ALL Applicants),
for CHEE, Mark (Title of Invention).

1. (a) ☐ Enclosed is a new application.
(b) ☒ Enclosed is a continuation-in-part application.
(c) ☐ Enclosed is a copy of the prior application.
2. (a) ☐ Enclosed is a new Declaration.
(b) ☐ Enclosed is a copy of the prior executed Declaration as
originally filed.
(c) ☐ Enclosed is a Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney.
3. (a) ☐ Enclosed is a Small Entity Affidavit.
(b) ☐ The Small Entity Affidavit is of record in the prior
application.

4. _____ The filing fee is calculated below:

Claims as filed in the prior application, less any claims canceled by amendment below:

FOR:	(Col. 1) NO. FILED	(Col. 2) NO. EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	FEE \$380	OR	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY RATE	FEE \$760
BASIC FEE					OR		
TOTAL CLAIMS	*** -20 = *	***	x 9 =	***	OR	x 18 =	\$ _____
INDEP CLAIMS	*** -3 = *	***	x 39 =	***	OR	x 78 =	\$ _____
[] MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED			+130 =	\$ _____	OR	+260 =	\$ _____
*If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2.			TOTAL	\$ _____	OR	TOTAL	\$ _____

5. _____ The Commissioner is hereby NOT authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Order No. A-).

6. _____ Our check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

7. _____ Cancel in this application original claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)

8. _____ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

--This is a _____ continuation _____ division _____ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. _____ filed _____.--

9. (a) X Informal drawings are enclosed, 17 sheets.

(b) _____ Formal drawings are enclosed, _____ sheets.

10. (a) X Priority of Applications Serial Nos. 60/130,089 filed April 20, 1999 in The United States of America; 60/135,051 filed May 30, 1999 in The United States of America; 60/135,123 filed May 20, 1999 in The United States of America; and 60/135,053 filed on May 20, 1999 in The United States of America is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119/120.

(b) _____ The certified copy has been filed in prior application Serial No. _____ filed on _____.

11. _____ An Assignment is enclosed.

12. _____ The prior application is assigned of record to _____.

13. _____ A Power of Attorney by Assignee is enclosed.

14. _____ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

(name)

(address)

(a) _____ The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.

(b) _____ Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.

(c) _____ Address all future communications to:

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15. _____ A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)

16. _____ A Prior Art Statement is enclosed.

17. _____ I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true duplicate of prior application Serial No. _____ as originally filed on _____.

Date: 10/22/99

Robin M. Silva
ROBIN M. SILVA
Registration No. 38,304

Address of Signer: _____

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